



The Hongkong Telegraph.

NEW SERIES No. 32

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1895.

THIRTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM.

THE MERCHANT BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.
AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,000,000
PAID-UP £250,000

RANKERS:
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.
INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.
ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
For 12 Months 5 per cent.
" 6 " 4 " "
" 3 " 3 " "
JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL £10,000,000
RESERVE FUND £5,000,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS £10,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:
J. S. MOSES, Esq., Chairman.
J. KRAMER, Esq., Deputy Chairman.
R. M. Gray, Esq.
S. C. Michaelson, Esq.
C. J. Holliday, Esq.
D. R. Sassoon, Esq.
Hon. J. J. Kewley, Esq.
N. A. Siebs, Esq.
Hon. A. McConachie.

CHIEF MANAGER:
Hongkong: T. JACKSON, Esq.
Shanghai: H. M. REVIS, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
For 6 months, 4 per cent. per annum.
For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST ON deposits is allowed at 3 1/2 PER CENT. per annum.

Depositors may transfer at their option balances of £100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 5 PER CENT. per annum.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 15th April, 1895.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Authorised Capital £1,000,000
Subscribed Capital £500,000

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

COURT OF DIRECTORS:
D. Gillies, Esq.
H. Stollerfoht, Esq.
Chan Kit Shan, Esq.
Chow Tung Shing, Esq.
Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER:
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 months fixed, 5 per cent.
Hongkong, 23rd October, 1894.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.
HEAD OFFICE—LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP £800,000
RESERVE FUND £325,000

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNT at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balances.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months, 5 per cent.
" 6 " 4 " "
" 3 " 3 " "

A. C. MARSHALL,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 4th May, 1895.

Insurance.

THE STANDARD

is one of the LARGEST and BEST KNOWN of the BRITISH LIFE OFFICES.

FUNDS exceed EIGHT MILLIONS STERLING.

ANNUAL REVENUE OVER ONE MILLION STERLING.

For Forms of Proposal and every information, Apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 2nd May, 1894.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL, TAELS 500,000 \$533,333-33
EQUAL TO \$318,000-00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
LEE SING, Esq.
LO YUEN MOON, Esq.
LOU TAO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the World.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.
Hongkong, 17th December, 1894.

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED \$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on Goods, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

CHAU TSUNG FAT,
Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 25th May, 1894.

Intimations.
BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LIMITED.
28, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.



SPECIAL DAGGER PACKING
FOR HIGH PRESSURE, ROUND OR SQUARE.
ASBESTOS PACKINGS of every description.
ASBESTOS SHEETS, MILLBOARDS, CANVAS, &c.
ASBESTOS COMPOSITION for COVERING BOILERS and STEAM PIPES.
CANVAS CORE PACKING (Tuck Form). SPECIAL ENGINE and CYLINDER OILS.
ASBESTOLINE, the most economical lubricant.
ALL GOODS BEARING TRADE MARK GUARANTEED.
Hongkong, 25th February, 1895.

THE CLUB HOTEL.
5, BUND, YOKOHAMA.
HOTEL METROPOLE.
1, TSUKUJI, TOKYO.

FIRST-CLASS HOTELS, centrally situated, well-furnished, the Cuisine under the Supervision of approved French Chef has no equal. ENTIRE FOREIGN MANAGEMENT. Experienced English matron in attendance.

The Hotel steam-launch with European Agent attends arrivals and departures; every assistance given in clearing luggage and affording information. Passengers are met at the Railway Station.

VISITORS have the option of meeting either in TOKYO or YOKOHAMA, without extra charge—THE ONLY HOTEL OFFERING SUCH AN ADVANTAGE. EUROPEAN HAIR DRESSER on the Premises.

Certified Guides are in attendance at both Hotels.

THE CLUB HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED, PROPRIETORS.

C. T. BENNEY, Manager, YOKOHAMA.
L. DEWETTE, Manager, TOKYO.

Hongkong, 15th April, 1895.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "KREMLIN" A. B. C. Code.

TELEPHONE, No. 32.

BOARD AND LODGING
FROM \$4.00 PER DAY.

HYDRAULIC LIFT TO ALL FLOORS.

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH CONVEYS PASSENGERS and BAGGAGES to and from all MAIL STEAMERS.

C. MOONEY,
SECRETARY.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1895.

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

HENRY NORMAN'S BOOK: "THE PEOPLE AND POLITICS OF THE FAR EAST."

Further Supply of hand-colored Photos of well known Acrobates.

The Daughters of Danaus, by Mona Caird.

Olga Romanoff, by author of The Angel of the Revolution.

The Iron Pistle, by Max Pemberton.

Molesworth & Hunt Combined Pocket Book.

Pictures from Paech, in volumes for presentation.

ALL THE LATEST AND MOST POPULAR NOVELS.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1895.

THE FOOT-BINDING EVIL.

PETITION TO THE EMPEROR OF CHINA
AGAINST FOOT-BINDING.

ALL the EUROPEAN WOMEN of HONGKONG are earnestly requested to append their Signatures to the above without delay.

Papers are lying at:
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s.
Messrs. FAIRALL & Co.'s.
Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LD.
Mr. W. W. BARNARD.
HONGKONG TRADING CO.'s.
Messrs. DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & Co.'s.

Hongkong, 7th May, 1895.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM BONUS OF TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. upon CONTRIBUTIONS for the year 1894, has been DECLARED.

WARRANTS will be issued on the 25th instant.

By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 10th April, 1895.

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

AT the 60th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, held at Edinburgh, on TUESDAY, the 5th of March, 1895, the following Results for the Year ended 31st November, 1894, were reported:

4020 Policies of Life Assurance were issued, assuring 1,797,869

The Total Existing Assurances in force at 31st November, 1894, amounted to 23,755,553

The Claims by Death or Matured Endowments which arose during the Year amounted, including Bonus Addition, to 6,535,563

The Annual Revenue amounted at 31st November, 1894, to 1,559,992

The Accumulated Funds at same date amounted to 8,084,400

being an Increase during the Year of 179,327

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 2nd May, 1895.

NOTICE.

SCRIP (or 10) Shares HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK NO. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

Shipping.
STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

"BOGSTAD."

will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 9th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, 6th May, 1895.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

"DOUGLAS."

will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 9th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS, LARSEN & CO.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, 6th May, 1895.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUPR PORT SAID, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE.

"MELBOMENE."

will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 9th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SANDER & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 4th May, 1895.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

(Passing through the ISLAND SEA).

"HOHENZOLLERN."

will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 9th instant, at Daylight.

Today's
Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON
FRIDAY, the 10th May, 1895,
AT NOON,
at Messrs. E. D. SASSON & Co.'s GODOWNS,
Queen's Road.
30 CHESTS NEW PATNA OPIUM.
8 CHESTS NEW BENARES OPIUM.
Ex Steamship Melbourne.
(More or less Damaged by Sea Water).
FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED.
TERMS OF SALE:—Cash before delivery in
Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. All Lots,
with all faults and errors of description, to be at
Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.
H. N. MODY,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [615]

NOTICE.

AN ELDERLY PERSON wishes an Engagement to assist in a BOARDING HOUSE or HOTEL; would make herself generally useful, no objection to eat, or to accompany a Lady home for her passage to Canada.
Address
A. K.
c/o Hongkong Telegraph Office.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [617]

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Steamship
"BOGSTAD,"
will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 10th
Instant, at Daylight.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [555]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship
"PALAMED,"
Captain Williams, will be despatched as above
on TUESDAY, the 14th Instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [618]

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
THE Steamship
"BRAEMAR,"
Captain Porter, will be despatched as above
on TUESDAY, the 14th Instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [612]

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "KARLSRUHE."
THE above named Steamer having arrived,
Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed
that the Goods, with the exception of Opium,
Treasures and Valuables, are being landed and
stored at their risk into the Godowns of the
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown
Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery
may be obtained.
Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless
notice to the contrary be given before 5 P.M.
THIS AFTERNOON.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods
have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining
undelivered after the 15th Instant, will be
subject to rent.
All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to
be examined in the Godowns where they will be
examined on WEDNESDAY, the 15th Instant,
at 3 P.M.
All Claims must reach us before the 16th Inst.,
or they will not be recognized.
No Fire Insurance has been effected, and
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [596]

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND
SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship

"CHINGWU."

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees
of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods
are being landed at their risk into the Godowns
of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown
Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery
may be obtained.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods
have left the Godowns and all Claims must be
sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before
Noon on the 15th Instant, or they will not be
recognized.
All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to
be examined in the Godowns where they will be
examined on 14th Instant, at 4 o'clock P.M.
No Fire Insurance has been effected, and
Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 15th
Instant, will be subject to rent.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless
notice to the contrary be given before 5 P.M.
TO-DAY.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [619]

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES:—
"HIGGINS," at MAGAZINE GAP.
No. 23, CAINE ROAD.
Nos. 1 & 2, RIFON TERRACE.
DES VUEX VILLAS at THE PEAK.
FLOORS in BLUE BUILDING.
FLOORS in ELGIN STREET, PERL
STREET and STAMFORD STREET.
FLOORS in No. 5, SHELLEY STREET.
GODOWNS:—
BLUE BUILDINGS.
No. 74, PRATA CENTRAL.
Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT
& AGENCY CO., Ltd.
Hongkong, 8th May 1895.

Today's
Advertisements.

SHIPPING.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS.

THE CAPTAIN, AGENTS, or OWNERS will
NOT BE RESPONSIBLE for any
DEBTS contracted by the OFFICERS or
CREW of the British Bark *Stanford* during
her stay in Hongkong Harbour.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [616]

ST. JOHN'S LODGE
OF HONGKONG, No. 618, S.C.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the above
LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS'
HALL, Zealand Street, TO-MORROW, the 9th
Instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting
Brethren are cordially invited.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [613]

ZETLAND LODGE,
No. 525, E.C.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the above
LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS'
HALL, Zealand Street, on TUESDAY, the 14th
Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting
Brethren are cordially invited to attend.
Hongkong, 8th May, 1895. [614]

Intimations.

DAKIN, CRICKSHANK &
COMPANY, LIMITED,
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.

AERATED WATERS.

SIMPLE AERATED WATER.

SODA WATER.

LEMONADE.

GINGER ALE.

SARSAPARILLA.

RASPBERRYADE, &c.

DAKIN, CRICKSHANK & Co.'s WATERS are
made under the constant supervision of a duly
qualified English Chemist and will bear com-
parison with the best English Manufactures.
Special terms to HOTELS, CLUBS, MESSRS and
other Large Consumers.
Any complaints should be addressed to the
Manager.
Hongkong, 3rd May, 1895. [57]

A. S. WATSON & CO.,
LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

ALL these are Selected by our London
House, bought direct at first hand,
imported in Wood and Bottled by ourselves,
thus saving all intermediate profits and enabling
us to supply the best growths at moderate
prices.
PRICE LIST, WITH FULL DETAILS, TO BE HAD
ON APPLICATION.

PORT:—After removal should be rested a
month before use. When required for
drinking at once it should be ordered to be
decanted at the Dispensary before being
sent out.

SHERRY:—Excellent dinner and after dinner
Wines, of very superior vintage. All are
true Xeres Wines.

CLARET:—Our Claret, including the lowest
priced, are guaranteed to be the genuine
product of the juice of the grape and are not
artificially made from raisins and concentrates,
as is generally the case with Cheap Wines.

BRANDY:—All our Brandy is guaranteed to
be pure Cognac, the difference in price
being merely a question of age and vintage.

WHISKY:—All our Whisky is of excellent
quality and of greater age than most brands
in the market. The Scotch Whisky marked
"E" is universally popular and is pro-
duced by the best local distillers and is
superior to any other brand in the
Hongkong Market.

We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to
be genuine when bought direct from us in the
Colony or from our authorized Agents at the
Coast Ports.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, 6th January, 1895. [5]

DEATH.

At Singapore on the 30th April, ANTONIO
D'ALMEIDA.

The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1895.

THE PETITION TO THE EMPEROR
OF CHINA.

We are requested to call attention to the
notice appearing in our advertising
columns, that a petition to the Emperor of
China against foot-binding is lying for
signature at certain stores in the Colony,

and we comply with very great pleasure.
We also publish in another column an
article from the *North China Daily News*
on the subject of foot-binding among the
Chinese and of the Society recently
constituted in Shanghai called TIEN
TSU HUI—to labour for the suppression
of the evil—from whom this petition
emanates. We deeply sympathise with the
movement and would do everything in
our power to influence the Chinese Govern-
ment and people to put an end, and a
speedy end, to so barbarous a custom, but
we put the question, with all deference to
the better judgment of the leaders of the
association—is a petition or memorial to
the Emperor of China; from foreigners,
the best method, or even a suitable method,
of opening up the subject, and is this a fit-
ting time to put forward such a petition even
if otherwise unobjectionable? When a man
has had a fire in his house, and thieves
have broken in, and he hardly knows
whether he may not have to move into a
smaller house and poorer neighbour-
hood, or whether he will be able to carry
on at all as before, is hardly the proper
time for calling his attention to
certain deficiencies in his dress or faults
in the management of his family, nor
directly connected with his pressing needs.

We have very grave doubts whether it
is a right thing to do for foreigners to peti-
tion the sovereign of China on matters
connected with the Government of his own
subjects. All sovereigns resent such
interference. Our American friends, even
with their very democratic notions, blithely
resented a recent appeal from England
on the subject of the ill-treatment of
negroes. If it is urged that this petition
may be properly presented now, because the
Chinese Government is in trouble and needs
European sympathy and assistance and
must, therefore, be prepared to listen to
European opinion, that seems to us
ungenerous. What would we English
have thought of petitions from the French
urging us to reform our methods of
Government in India, during the heat of
or even at the first outbreak of the mutiny,
when France thought we should want her
help. Let us do to others as we would
be done by. The Society has abundant
means open to it of promoting a crusade
against foot-binding in China without
involving from the Chinese Mandarinate a
rebuke for an intervention it may, not
unreasonably, deem very ill-timed,
and it might be done, too,
without exciting among the people of
China a feeling of anger against all
Christian and European interference in
matters of a purely domestic complexion.
They hate us badly enough, as it is, and
resent our presence among them. We
can do nothing to strengthen that
feeling of resentment or increase that
hatred. They are naturally peculiarly
sensitive just now, when their own eyes
are being so very forcibly opened in
certain directions. Instead of trying to
increase their dissatisfaction with them-
selves, let us say and do all we can to
comfort them and to gain greater power
and greater influence to guide them in
these and other matters by and by.

TELEGRAMS.

(Special to Hongkong Telegraph.)

THE TREATY OF PEACE.

RATIFICATIONS EXCHANGED
AT CHEFOO.SIR ROBERT HART TO THE
RESCUE.HE WILL FINANCE THE
INDEMNITY.RUSSIAN, FRENCH AND GERMAN
THREATS IGNORED.

SHANGHAI, May 8th.

4.50 p.m.

The ratifications of the Treaty of Peace
were exchanged at Chefoo to-day by
Count Ito, representing Japan, and Li
Hung-chang, representing China.

A large number of foreign men-of-war,
including 11 Russian warships, assembled
at Chefoo yesterday and were there up to
5 p.m. to-day.

The arrangement for the retrocession of
the province of Shinkiang, with the excep-
tion of Port Arthur, was brought about
mainly by the personal influence of Sir
Robert Hart. The proposal of Japan to
accept an extra 4,000,000 taels in lieu of
Shinkiang fairly staggered the Chinese
Government, but Sir Robert Hart came
to the rescue, and guaranteed the additional
amount if the entire financing of the
indemnity were left with him. This the
Chinese Government agreed to yesterday
and the necessary orders were at once
telegraphed to the Viceroy and Fatahs
of all the provinces of the Empire.

Up to the last moment Russia, France
and Germany exerted their influence in
Peking to prevent the exchange of ratifica-
tions at due date, and they repeatedly and
jointly urged the Chinese Government to
refuse to the terms demanded by Japan
when the question of the retrocession of
Shinkiang arose. But, as above stated, their
efforts happily proved utterly futile.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

JAPAN AND THE POWERS.

LONDON, May 7th.

The Powers have been officially informed
that Japan abandons her demand for the cession
of the Lia-tung peninsula, including Port
Arthur.

FOREIGN SQUADRONS IN THE
FAR EAST.

The Foreign Squadrons are assembling at
Chefoo.

CONFIRMATION OF THE RATI-
FICATION OF THE TREATY.

The ratification of the treaty of peace has
been confirmed from Peking.

JABEZ BALFOUR.

Jabez Balfour has arrived at London, and has
been charged and remanded.

UMRA KHAN.

Umra Khan has been sent to Cabul.

OBITUARY.

Lord Selbourne (Selborne) is dead.

(Special to the *Asian*.)

THE LINCOLNSHIRE HANDICAP.
LONDON, April 11th.

To-day's *Racing Calendar* announces that the
objection to Euclid, the winner of the Lincolnshire
Handicap, has been overruled.

(From *Times of Colony*)

PARLIAMENTARY.
LONDON, April 31st.

Viccount Valentia the Conservative candidate,
has been elected member of Parliament for
York City in succession to the late General
Sir George Chesney, by a majority of six hun-
dred and two, defeating Mr. Little, the Liberal
Candidate.

(Special to *Stam Observer*.)

ENGLAND WARNED!

St. Petersburg, April 26th.
The Moscow *Vedomosti*, in a leading article,
says that it was inevitable that Russia should
sue Japan in an ultimatum forbidding the
exportation of any portion of the mainland,
and warns Great Britain that if she support
Japan in opposition to Russia, the Indian
Empire will suffer, and the work in the Pamirs,
with the agreement already come to between the
two Governments, will be undone.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

"X Y Z":—Thanks, but who's S-m-i-l-l, and
by the way, who are you?

THE Hongkong Regiment Band, by kind per-
mission of Colonel Harrow and officers, will play
at the Public Gardens to-night (weather per-
mitting), commencing at 9.30 sharp.

An Emergency meeting of St. John's Lodge, No.
618 S.C., will be held in Freemasons' Hall,
Zealand Street, to-morrow, at 5 for 5.30 p.m.
precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

We are advised by the Secretary of the Panjym
Mining Co. Ltd. of the receipt of a telegram from
Mr. Blamey to the effect: "What the Cyanide
plant is all ready, only waiting for water to take
up. Will commence work by the 18th May."

THE German Minister at Bangkok has issued
a notification that in future no servant of the
Opium and Spirit Farmers will be allowed to
board German vessels for searching purposes.
Henceforth only Customs House officials will be
permitted to board German vessels for this work.

THE Sikkim-Tibet Boundary Delimitation will
begin its labours during the current month. Mr.
White, the Political Officer in Sikkim, is super-
intending it. It is understood there will be no
regular commission. Captain Colomb will
represent the India Intelligence Department.

H.M.S. *Pique* will probably arrive here about
the end of next month. She is one of the latest
style of fast cruisers, has a displacement of
3,600 tons and steams 20 knots. She carries
four machine guns, nine 6 and 3-pounders,
quick firing, six 4 in. breech loaders and two
6 in. guns, besides four torpedo tubes.

At the Magistrate to-day, before Mr. Wade-
house, Cheng Ki, engineer of the steam-launch
Prudence, was charged by Acting Inspector
Witchell for feloniously causing the death of
Ching Chan and Li Sheng, (who died at the
Government Civil Hospital yesterday) on the 4th
Instant, by negligently allowing the *Prudence*'s
boiler to explode. After the evidence of Acting
Inspector Witchell had been led, the case was
remanded till the 11th Inst. at ten o'clock. Bail
in one surety of \$500 was allowed.

Mr. Wei-yuan, the richest man of the island
of Formosa and two other natives of wealth
are reported to have subscribed two million
taels towards the military expenses of
Formosa since the news of the island
having been ceded to Japan. Out of
this sum one-half was contributed by Lin
Wei-yuan himself. It is computed that seven-
tenths of the houses in Tamsui have, since the
fall of the Pincades, been deserted by their
tenants, who have either left for the mainland
or moved into the interior of the island.

This "chip" from the *Hoch Salmburg* is a
stow that shows how the current is flowing in
some of the political channels of Dai Nippon:—
"The Chinese under the mild and civilised rule
of Japan would soon improve in material pro-
gress, and an improvement in such a matter
would be itself gratifying to them. Should
China fall a prey to one or more European
powers, Japan's position would be greatly
endangered. It lies in the path of her mission
as the peace-maintainer of the Orient to bring
China under the flag of the Rising Sun at the
earliest possible moment."

We understand that two cases, in connection
with the Hawthorne-Smith Theatrical Company,
will be heard before Mr. T. S. Smith, Acting
Judge, sitting in Summary Jurisdiction,
at the Supreme Court to-morrow. Mr. Frank
Hardy, Business Manager, sues Mr.
Arthur Smith, Proprietor of the Grace Har-
borne Dramatic Co., on two issues: (1) "that
plaintiff claims from defendant a sum of \$1,000
in maliceous arrest on the 1st May 1895; (2) that
plaintiff claims from the defendant a sum of
\$1,554 repaying 7 guineas for money paid for
and on behalf of the plaintiff to the defendant."
The cases also claim costs in both suits. Counsel
has been engaged on both sides: Mr. J. C. Ellis
for Mr. V. H. Deacon's case; and Mr. H. L. Deane
for Mr. Hardy's case.

A GENERAL meeting, in connection with the
Peak Church, will be held at St. Paul's College
on Friday, the 10th Inst., at 5 p.m.

H.M.S. *Undaunted* will shortly be docked for a
slight overhaul.

Dr. H. BLACKBURN has been appointed U.S.
Consul at Nagasaki.

H.M.S. *Spartan* will leave for a cruise on or
about Saturday next.

A MEETING of the Sanitary Board will be held
to-morrow at 4.15 p.m.

The tenth ordinary semi-annual meeting of the
Nippon Yosen Kaisha will be held this month.
The dividend is expected to be greater than
ever before.

A NOTIFICATION prohibiting priests from enter-
ing the capital of Korea has been withdrawn by
the Korean Government at the request of the
Japanese priests.

An Emergency meeting of Zealand Lodge, No.
525, E.C., will be held in the Freemasons' Hall,
Zealand Street, on Tuesday, the 14th Instant, at
8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are
cordially invited.

A SILVER bracelet, which Count Satro always
wore on his left arm, is said to have been
presented to him by the chief of a savage tribe
in Formosa, when the Count was in command
of the expeditionary force landed in that island
in 1874.

At a committee meeting of the Shanghai
Rowing Club held on the 2nd Instant, Mr. R. M.
Campbell was elected Captain, Mr. F. Rüchel
Hon. Treasurer and Mr. E. C. Pearce Hon.
Secretary for the ensuing year. It was also
decided to hold the Spring Regatta on Saturday
afternoon, the 21st May.

M. A. de WYNDZERY, the Consul for Russia in
Singapore, has been promoted to be Consul-
General at Tientsin, and he will leave Singapore
for his new post about June 20th. His successor
is M. Klemeff, who is now First Secretary to
the Embassy at Peking. M. Wyndzery has
been honoured with the Grand Cordoon of St.
Anne, by his Government.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial
and Netherlands Hospitals begs to acknowledge
with thanks the following donations to the funds
of the Hospitals:—

Messrs. Carmichael & Co.	15
Anonymous	10
Messrs. Fletcher & Co.	10
Mr. Dorabjee Nowjee	10
Hon. A. G. Wise	10
Mr. H. Yera	10
Messrs. Madar and Farmer	5
Comdr. E. Fleet, (H.M.S. <i>Centurion</i>)	5

To whom it may concern, etc.—I was, says a
glittering pen in *The States*, told rather a funny
story the other day concerning Mr. Plett's pre-
decessor in the post of Examiner of Plays. This
gentleman, it seems, had the strongest objection
to the introduction of the name of the Almighty
into any dramatic creation. Once, when a
certain dramatist called upon him at his own
house, he found the whole family, (Examiner,
wife, and children), all hard at work on sheets
of manuscript. "Here's another 'God,' papa!"
cried a young boy, as the father entered.
"Scratch it out, my dear," was the reply, "and
write in 'Heaven,' as usual." Now, who says
"ar-men!"

THUS a Kobe paper of the 1st May.—A Tokyo
despatch dated 2.08 p.m. yesterday, says that
the report of the Russian and German Ministers
having left for Kobe by train was incorrect.
The Ministers were still in Tokyo. In this
connection the following, from the *Yokohama
Advertiser*, is of some interest.—The Russian
Minister, Mr. Hiltroff, has been for some
days the subject of a close system of
"shadowing." A detective in a Japanese
drawn by two picked coolies of powerful build,
follows him wherever he goes. Yesterday
he arrived in Yokohama, presumably from
Tokyo, by an afternoon train, and as he stepped
into his carriage a Japanese attired in foreign
clothes dashed after him in a jinkisha that had
been waiting. This Japanese was relieved later
by another dressed in Japanese garments, and
these two persons who were in the secret derived
some amusement from observing the dogged
persistence—not to speak of the careful note-
taking—with which this officer hovered about
the Minister's carriage. Apropos of Mr.
Hiltroff it may be mentioned that the departure
of the *Koromo* with His Excellency has been
postponed, the German Minister's sea trip being
also thus knocked on the head.

PLAQUE NOTES.

The latest official returns are as follow:—
From 28th April until noon to-day:—

	New Deaths	Cured	Rem. under treatment
Hospital ship <i>Hygieia</i>	0	0	0
Kennedy-Johns	0	0	0
Private houses	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

Deaths from the outbreak (28th April) up to
May 8th, noon, 31 grand total, 3.

La Progre de Saigon of the 5th May has the
following:—
"The plague:—We hear that it's bubonic
plague has broken out at Longchou. There
have been several deaths. The Tonkin Pro-
tectorate and Saigon Health Officers have taken
precautionary measures.
No fresh cases of plague have been reported
to-day in the city. One of the two patients at
the Kennedy-Johns, referred to in our last
issue, is going on as well as can possibly be
expected."

MACAO.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

The only news here is the plague, but
nothing is officially known, the Government
persisting in its determination to keep all official
information from the public. I judge from the
more or less authentic information at my com-
mand, the average daily death-rate is about six-
teen. Yesterday some thirty deaths occurred in
the city, most of which were due to this
terrible epidemic.

The Chinese have brought to the "Holy City"
celebrated from the interior, but neither
it nor the incessant flogging of drums with salt
water by the Government, exercise any check
on the steady progress of the *Citon* Reaper.
A Portuguese woman died on the 4th Instant
from plague, a fact that created quite a scare
amongst the Portuguese residents.
The city is rapidly becoming depopulated
owing to the masses of Chinese in Canton and
the interior. If something does not happen
shortly to improve the sanitary we will yet
see, as in 1893 in London, red crosses on our
doors and hear the mournful cry of the dead-
cartmen—"Bring out your dead."

PETITION TO HER MOST
GRACIOUS MAJESTY
THE QUEEN.

Our "man-about-town" who is admittedly
not immaculate and is generally believed to be
gifted with a very elastic imagination (some-
times it is stretched to prodigious lengths,
but not very often) rushed headlong into the
editorial sanctum just as we were going to press
with the copy, or alleged copy, of a PETITION TO
THE QUEEN and begged us to "hang the comps
around so as to get it in and thereby get ahead
of Reuters, Roseberry, the *Times* and all the war
specials in the universe." Then skipped out
muttering something about not having had a
"bite of food" for the last two days and in
his haste to be once more under the glorious
canopy of heaven stumbled over one of the
devil's "tricks" and so upset the equilibrium of that
indispensable commodity that he vowed a
solemn vow that he'd "get even with that coarse
bun-bun" when he was a big grown-up man. The
rumour over and peace once more restored we
carefully perused the petition, and at the risk
of losing a dozen or two subscribers decided to
delay the issue of our popular sheet for the sole
purpose of getting the extraordinary report in, so
as to include it in to-morrow's mail issue. It reads
thus:—

As I was going through China-town to-day
I noticed in all the principal places a large
number of Chinese women of all classes and
ages, lighting their way up to a counter on which
were candles of magnificently illuminated petition
to the Queen of England! I demanded a copy
on the grounds that it was for the only
live paper published east of the Suez Canal and
that unless backed up by *The Hongkong Tele-
graph*, the petition would never reach the
Queen; further, I urged that my name
would surely soon be changed to *Wahler* if
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Baron Bussler.
Sir Somers Vane.
Count S. Telfer.
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